

The Wilmington Post.

VOLUME IX.

WILMINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA, FRIDAY, MAY 26, 1878.

Single Copies 10 Cents

NUMBER 23

WILMINGTON POST ADVERTISING RATES.

Fifty cents per line for the first insertion and twenty-five cents per line for each additional insertion.

Eight (8) lines, Nonpareil type, constitute a square.

All advertisements will be charged at the above rates, except on special contracts.

Special rates can be had for a longer time than one week.

The subscription price to THE WILMINGTON POST is \$1.00 per year; six months 75 cents.

All communications on business should be addressed to THE WILMINGTON POST, Wilmington, N. C.

CITY ITEMS.

Justice Harris fined Eliza Brown \$5 and costs for maltreating her child.

This Convention was one of the most harmonious ever held in New Hanover county, and the ticket will be elected by a majority of at least 1,500.

Ladies must not read this—*about* (merry the hearts, Lexington ladies) the day before the election, when the ballot boxes are to be opened, the ladies have no need to "worry."

Coroner Hewlett held an inquest over a colored child, aged about two years, by the name of Martha Holmes; verdict of the jury was that the child came to its death from some natural cause.

In warm weather people prefer riding on the street cars, rather than walk through the dusty streets, and we will state to all those whom it may concern, that the street cars are now ready to take you to any part of the city you wish to go for the small sum of five cents.

Medical science is no longer confined to the educated few, but to the masses; remote from physicians, may preserve their health, or restore it when lost, by using—according to directions—the admirable remedies of the Dr. Harter Medicine Company.

LAWYERS.—Of the twenty-five lawyers in the city, eighteen are Episcopalian; for that way inclined, four Presbyterians, two Catholics, and one Jew. There is not a Methodist or Baptist lawyer in the city. What a grand opening for the Methodist and Baptist youths!

THE VISITING MILITARY.—The Howard Light Infantry, Company "C," the Fayetteville, Rifle Guard, Company "D," and the Charlotte Blues, Company "E," are expected to be in this city to participate in the Memorial services on the 30th, and will join the command of Lt. Col. Mabson.

COTTON MILLS.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the Cotton Mills, on Tuesday last, the following officers were elected: Donald McRae, President; Walter G. McRae, Secretary and Treasurer; Directors, Ed. Kidder, F. W. Kerchner, Jas. H. Chadbourn and Jno. W. Atkinson.

The Cape Fear Light Artillery visited Charlotte, N. C., with their beautiful battery on Monday last, the 20th of May, the anniversary of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence. The Company returned on Tuesday night, and were received with their visit.

Joe H. Smyth, Esq., who has been appointed by the President as Minister to Liberia and confirmed by the Senate, claims his residence in this city. He was appointed on account of his ability. For several months past he has served as a clerk in the Treasury Department at Washington, where he performed his duties so very satisfactorily that the Department recommended him for this important place. The President appointed him as a compliment to the colored people, and as such the colored people of North Carolina should receive it. It shows that when they are qualified to fill positions there is no prejudice on account of color.

WHOSE MISTAKE?—Why is it that our City Fathers put the property in the city in peril by fires, by sending the engine horses so far away from the houses as happened at the time of the alarm on the afternoon of the 17th instant?

The horses of the Cape Fear passed Market street, on their way to bring out the engine, eleven minutes after the alarm was first sounded, coming from the Northern part of the city; and the steamer Adrian was unable to get further than one block in fourteen minutes, we presume from the same cause.

Better judgment and less risk Mr. Mayor.

NATIONAL MEMORIAL SERVICE,

May the 30th, 1878

Decoration Day is a holy day which enlists every class of our citizens. Each had its heroes. All rejoiced in the victory, and can mingle in the tribute of sympathy and sorrow which on each recurring year we pay to the departed valor of those who died that the nation might live.

"There's a bordon of sieben in the breezes of spring." And a song of regret from the bird on its wing:

There is pain on the sunshine and over the flowers, And a shadow of graves on these spirits of ours.

All, the BLUE and the GREY, are respectively invited to assemble at the National Cemetery at 4 o'clock p.m., on the 30th inst., to participate in, or witness the ceremony attending the decoration of the graves of the nation's dead.

The military, under command of Lt. Col. G. L. Mabson, and all organizations, will assemble at their usual place of meeting at 3 o'clock, and march to the cemetery by such route and manner as they may choose.

The Excelsior Rose Bud and Cape Fear Bands, will appropriate music en route to the cemetery.

EXERCISE AT THE CEMETERY.

1. Dirge—Excelsior Rose Bud Band.

2. By the Choir—"Rest Soldier Rest."

3. Prayer—W. A. Green, Chaplain 5th Battalion.

4. By the Choir—"Honor to the Braves."

5. Oration—Geo. Z. French, Esq.

6. Dirge—Excelsior Rose Bud Band.

7. By the Choir—"Cover them over with beautiful flowers."

8. Doxology—By the people.

9. Benediction.

10. Decoration of graves.

11. Firing a salute by the military.

The grounds will be in charge of the Marshals who will assign each organization to a proper position, and preserve order.

The Superintendent of the cemetery requests that no carriages will enter the enclosure.

Respectfully,
E. H. MCQUIGG,
Secretary of Committee.
Star & Review, please copy.

REPUBLICAN TOWNSHIP AND WARD MEETINGS.—On Wednesday night last, when the following gentlemen were elected as delegates:

First Ward—Duncan Holmes, Lewis Nixon and W. H. Holmes, Sen.

Second Ward—Gen. S. H. Manning, Messrs. J. E. Scott and Washington McNeal.

Third Ward—Jos. E. Sampson, Jos. Anderson and Jas. Dry.

Fourth Ward—Jas. K. Cutler, Lewis Bryant and William Johnson.

Fifth Ward—H. H. Hankins, Jno. Moore and Jas. Winfield.

City at Large—Geo. W. Price, Jr., Jno. H. Brown and Henry Green.

Cape Fear Township, (two delegations). 1st. The Manning Delegation consisted of Messrs. John Pleasants, Jack Moore and C. H. Thomas; 2nd, or Scott delegation, consisted of Messes. H. E. Scott, Elijah Tate and Holly Grady.

Harnett Township—D. C. Davis, Jas. Cowley and Jas. Pickett.

Masonboro Township—Messrs. Jno. G. Wagner, Elijah Hewlett and Jas. Smith.

Federal Point Township—Messrs. Baalam Wade, Henry G. Davis and W. H. Williams.

There were 30 delegates in the convention, 18 from the city and 12 from the country.

QUARANTINE MATTERS.—Dr. J. M. Woodworth of Washington, Supervising Surgeon of Revenue Marine Service, arrived in this city on Friday morning to consult with the local authorities in regard to incensing the efficiency of the quarantine. An act of Congress has recently passed placing all the quarantine matters under the authority of the United States. Dr. Woodworth held a consultation with Mayor Fishback, Dr. W. W. Lane, of the Marine Hospital, Dr. A. E. Wright, Superintendent of Health, and Alderman Flanner and King of the Sanitary committee. He then proceeded to Smithville where he held a consultation with Dr. Curtis, the state quarantine officer of this port. The purpose of Dr. Woodworth's visit was to establish such relations with existing quarantine authorities as would be mutually satisfactory and secure greater efficiency in sanitary matters. We learn that Dr. Woodworth was well satisfied with his consultations here, and that we may look for increased facilities by which to protect the port from epidemics.

That a page in our Records be inscribed with his name and age; that otherwise it remain spotless, as was the life of him to whom dedicated.

That a copy of the foregoing be transmitted to his family and furnished the papers for publication.

NORWOOD GILES, Committee.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.—The Republican County Convention met at 4 o'clock p.m. yesterday. It was called to order by S. H. Manning, Chairman County Executive Committee.

On motion, Hon. George W. Price, Jr., was made Chairman and Joseph E. Sampson, Secretary.

Hon. Geo. W. Price, on taking the chair thanked the Convention for the honor, after which he made a very able speech. He cautioned the Convention to let individual preference be subservient to the good of the people, and the great issues coming on in 1850, and he pledged that in owing to the position of Chairman, no in it or out of the Convention should have any cause to complain of his having acted unfair in the responsible position of Chairman of the Convention.

The first position to be filled was that of Sheriff. S. H. Manning was nominated and received 17 votes out of the 30 cast in the Convention, and was declared nominated.

The following gentlemen were nominated for the positions set opposite their names.

S. VanAmringe, Clerk of Superior Court.

Joseph E. Sampson, Register of Deeds.

Elijah Hewlett, Treasurer.

Edward D. Hewlett, Coroner.

Jno. Kent Brown, Surveyor.

H. E. Scott and W. H. Waddell for House of Representatives.

John P. Sampson was recommended for the Senate, and the following gentlemen made delegates to the Senatorial Convention: James D. Dry, Duncan Holmes, J. U. Scott, W. Howe, J. P. Sampson.

JUST TO PLEASE THE BOYS.—We have just received the above new and beautiful Serio Comic Song, composed by the popular song writer, W. A. Huntley. It will surely become very popular among the ladies, as they are willing to please the boys.

RESCUED.—That the members of this Board will wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

RESOLVED.—That a copy of the preamble and resolutions be sent by the Secretary to the family of the deceased, and to the city papers for publication.

E. S. MARTIN, Chairman.

JUST TO PLEASE THE BOYS.—We have just received the above new and beautiful Serio Comic Song, composed by the popular song writer, W. A. Huntley. It will surely become very popular among the ladies, as they are willing to please the boys.

RESCUED.—That the members of this Board will wear the usual badge of

mourning for thirty days.

RESOLVED.—That a copy of the preamble and resolutions be sent by the Secretary to the family of the deceased, and to the city papers for publication.

E. S. MARTIN, Chairman.

JUST TO PLEASE THE BOYS.—We have just received the above new and beautiful Serio Comic Song, composed by the popular song writer, W. A. Huntley. It will surely become very popular among the ladies, as they are willing to please the boys.

RESCUED.—That the members of this Board will wear the usual badge of

mourning for thirty days.

RESOLVED.—That a copy of the preamble and resolutions be sent by the Secretary to the family of the deceased, and to the city papers for publication.

E. S. MARTIN, Chairman.

JUST TO PLEASE THE BOYS.—We have just received the above new and beautiful Serio Comic Song, composed by the popular song writer, W. A. Huntley. It will surely become very popular among the ladies, as they are willing to please the boys.

RESCUED.—That the members of this Board will wear the usual badge of

mourning for thirty days.

RESOLVED.—That a copy of the preamble and resolutions be sent by the Secretary to the family of the deceased, and to the city papers for publication.

E. S. MARTIN, Chairman.

JUST TO PLEASE THE BOYS.—We have just received the above new and beautiful Serio Comic Song, composed by the popular song writer, W. A. Huntley. It will surely become very popular among the ladies, as they are willing to please the boys.

RESCUED.—That the members of this Board will wear the usual badge of

mourning for thirty days.

RESOLVED.—That a copy of the preamble and resolutions be sent by the Secretary to the family of the deceased, and to the city papers for publication.

E. S. MARTIN, Chairman.

JUST TO PLEASE THE BOYS.—We have just received the above new and beautiful Serio Comic Song, composed by the popular song writer, W. A. Huntley. It will surely become very popular among the ladies, as they are willing to please the boys.

RESCUED.—That the members of this Board will wear the usual badge of

mourning for thirty days.

RESOLVED.—That a copy of the preamble and resolutions be sent by the Secretary to the family of the deceased, and to the city papers for publication.

E. S. MARTIN, Chairman.

JUST TO PLEASE THE BOYS.—We have just received the above new and beautiful Serio Comic Song, composed by the popular song writer, W. A. Huntley. It will surely become very popular among the ladies, as they are willing to please the boys.

RESCUED.—That the members of this Board will wear the usual badge of

mourning for thirty days.

RESOLVED.—That a copy of the preamble and resolutions be sent by the Secretary to the family of the deceased, and to the city papers for publication.

E. S. MARTIN, Chairman.

JUST TO PLEASE THE BOYS.—We have just received the above new and beautiful Serio Comic Song, composed by the popular song writer, W. A. Huntley. It will surely become very popular among the ladies, as they are willing to please the boys.

RESCUED.—That the members of this Board will wear the usual badge of

mourning for thirty days.

RESOLVED.—That a copy of the preamble and resolutions be sent by the Secretary to the family of the deceased, and to the city papers for publication.

E. S. MARTIN, Chairman.

JUST TO PLEASE THE BOYS.—We have just received the above new and beautiful Serio Comic Song, composed by the popular song writer, W. A. Huntley. It will surely become very popular among the ladies, as they are willing to please the boys.

RESCUED.—That the members of this Board will wear the usual badge of

mourning for thirty days.

RESOLVED.—That a copy of the preamble and resolutions be sent by the Secretary to the family of the deceased, and to the city papers for publication.

E. S. MARTIN, Chairman.

JUST TO PLEASE THE BOYS.—We have just received the above new and beautiful Serio Comic Song, composed by the popular song writer, W. A. Huntley. It will surely become very popular among the ladies, as they are willing to please the boys.

RESCUED.—That the members of this Board will wear the usual badge of

mourning for thirty days.

RESOLVED.—That a copy of the preamble and resolutions be sent by the Secretary

THE WILMINGTON POST.

W. P. CANADAY,
Editor and Proprietor.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 26, 1878.

We especially solicit a careful reading of the address of the National Republican Congressional Committee which we print in another column. It is plain English, and strikes at the marrow of the subject. It is an alarm cry which ought to be heeded by every one who desires to preserve the supremacy of law and the stability of our institutions.

One of our city contemporaries is greatly troubled because some northern papers "systematically, deliberately, and continually blackguard the south." When the sheet in question, and others like it can learn enough of decency to abstain from applying to the most eminent Americans such terms as "besotted wretch," and "pimp" it will be time for it to complain of the blackguardism of the northern press.

CHEATING POSTMASTERS.

As the law is, the postmasters of the smaller postoffices are paid from 40 to 60 per cent. on their actual sale of postage stamps. So, many of the smaller postmasters in order to raise their pay, purchase expensive articles paying for them in stamps. These mostly reach the larger cities. Thus it has come about that while the New York Post-office has actually cancelled 4,225,194 annually it has only sold 2,425,550, there having been 1,999,644 brought into New York from the country offices. There is a bill in Congress to change the law so that a postmaster's pay will be rated by the number of stamps he cancels.

HOW TO ATTAIN SOUTHERN PROSPERITY.

It is not one of the special gifts of the southern Bourbons that they can realize in themselves the alliteration of Burns that some power would give them the faculty of seeing themselves as others see them. When at the close of the war the northern men came to our state they brought in greenbacks not less than \$1,000,000, besides their own personal value as distinct assets to the body politic, which at the standard price of slaves before the war could not have been valued less than between \$1,000,000 and \$2,000,000 more. At that time the population of the state was not a million, and the body politic having had about 75 per cent. of its gross assets deducted as the result of the war, were miserably impoverished. Most political economists in their estimates of values, would have reckoned that any community less savage than the Feejeees and cannibals would have welcomed so considerable an accession of money and muscle. But how were these new emigrants welcomed here? They were met with coldness, jeers and abuse because they could not agree or did not choose to agree with the political notions extant here. Not only that but obstacles were commonly thrown in the way of the business of these new settlers. What we mean to assert is that every one of these new emigrants very soon learned that unless he either kept silent or assented to the general tone of sentiment by which he was surrounded, he was at a disadvantage in every possible business relation.

We are aware that this statement has been denied, even on the floor of Congress. But we state the fact as it is. Any person who pretends, either on the floor of Congress or in any other circle, that a northern man in the south, whatever his business character or capacity or means, is not practically at a disadvantage in his business relations, as well as otherwise, if he is an avowed Republican, either is ignorant of the facts or wilfully states what he knows to be false. The idea that the south has in recent years or does now extend to emigrants anything beyond a conditional welcome, a welcome predicated on what his political opinions may be, is totally and absolutely baseless. Of course there are localities which are exceptions to this rule. We are speaking of the aggregate south. The proof of what we assert is abundant and incontrovertible.

There are still other conditions which prevent immigration and the investment of capital here. The land is mostly held by individuals, or private companies. It is difficult in any part of the south except Texas and perhaps Arkansas to find good lands in contiguous bodies sufficiently large for even a small colony. If a person makes up his mind to emigrate to the south, he is obliged to start out at random, hunt until he finds a climate and soil which suits him, and then chaffer with this and that man, examine titles, and after spending much money and time he may settle down in a community to whose habits and manners and modes of business, he and his family are unaccustomed. There are none of the aids to emigration here such as exist to the northwest, no auxiliaries of which an emigrant can avail himself, no fixed price to lands, no point where large bodies of land are advertised for sale, in short no organizations which tend to solicit immigration and make it easy.

There are numerous other reasons

which might be adduced, showing that the prospect is not brilliant of recuperating the south at present, either by the influx of a new population or the surplus capital of other parts of America and Europe. The stubborn fact still stares us in the face that the south is not increasing perceptibly in population, or productions, or in wealth. Is there no remedy for this state of things? Permit us to make a few suggestions. The very first step ought to be to perfect some vigorous system of immigration.

We have none now worthy the name Let a quarter, or a half of the surplus lands of the state be offered in the market at very low rates to absolute settlers, and on reasonable time. Let maps and full descriptions of the localities be prepared and kept on file at Raleigh, and circulated in this country and Europe. Let the invitation to come here extend not to laborers merely, but to all persons skilled in branches of the mechanics arts, and to capitalists who will erect manufactures in which may be made the articles which we now buy abroad. And then let us cease that habit which we have of sternly ringing the changes on the "lost cause," or our peculiar political idiosyncrasies, or "sufferings" and "oppressions," and fall into line with the rest of the civilized world and commence the race in competition with them. The south is but a small factor in the aggregate civilization of the times, and it is very much in the habit of squandering its opportunities instead of utilizing them. But we must learn that the whole world is not gaping at us as if we were some new and unique race, and that we must put ourselves in line with the other societies, adopt their modes, and labor on their plane. We must drop our provincial style and manner of thinking, liberalize ourselves, and work as the rest of the world does. And every time an outsider happens to come here on a prospecting tour, we must not quiz him as to his private opinions on matters that are none of our business, but inform him that we are about to turn over a new leaf, and that if he will obey the laws he can live here and can think and talk as he pleases as he can in other parts of the world. Tell him it is to be free country hereafter. We must not make the mistakes in contradiction to our prosperity as we have done, but if we regard our own interest we must nurture it instead of spending time and effort upon frivolities which only minister to our provincial vanity.

REFRESHING WORDS.

The union veterans of Licking county, Ohio, addressed an invitation to Gen. Grant to be at their annual reunion. The old cheifain, from his distant residence in Italy uttered no uncertain sound.

"One blast upon this bugle horn
Is worth a thousand men."

The following is his answer:

MILAN, Italy, April 27, 1878.
Major Charles D. Miller, Secretary
of the Society of the Soldiers and Sailors, Licking
County:

DEAR MAJOR:—Your cordial invitation for me to attend a general reunion of the veterans of Ohio, to be held under the auspices of the Society of the Soldiers and Sailors of Licking County, at Newark, on the 22d of July, is this day received. It always affords me pleasure to meet at such gatherings of the soldiers and sailors who patricianally risked their lives for the preservation of the country, and it would afford me special pleasure to meet with those hailing from my native state. But the Atlantic will be between us at the time of your proposed reunion. This is the first opportunity of my life to visit Europe; it will likely be my last. There is much here to see which I have not seen, and I desire to remain to partly accomplish the tour which I had marked out for myself. I trust the veterans of Ohio may have a most auspicious reunion on the coming occasion, and that none of them will ever feel a disposition to apologize for the part they took in the late struggle for national existence, nor for the cause for which they fought. With great respect, your old companion. U. S. GRANT.

RECONSTRUCTED.

The Hon. E. W. Robertson, member of Congress from Louisiana writes home to a relative:—

"We want the American flag with liberal appropriations, and unless Congress does something for the south, and will pass our Texas-Pacific Railroad bill, our steam-steamship line to Brazil, and give us a moderate appropriation for closing our crevasses and raising and strengthening our levees, I am inclined to think that the south will not be quite as solid as the Northern Democrats hope it will be."

"When the war closed I surrendered, and in consequence of that surrender was given a general protection under the United States Government, and afterward, when amnesty was tendered me, I voluntarily accepted that amnesty. I feel that I have no animosity to those with whom I fought during the war. And I believe that even with the amendments adopted to the Constitution we have the best government the world ever saw, if properly administered; and I wish to be understood when I tell you that I shall contribute all in my power to preserve the institutions, and hand them down to my children. I therefore have accepted the situation, as you well know, and am meeting those men who fought on the other side, who I am equally sincere in wishing to stop this interminable negotiation of the war issues. It is true we have to

deal with many of the results of the war, and in doing so naturally questions will arise involving the discussion of war issues. But I believe that even on the Republican side there is a better feeling prevailing, and the bloody shirt is being hung up to dry, while the shot-guns and revolvers of the bull-dozers are exchanged for the plowshares and pruning-hooks."

BISHOP HAVEN'S SPEECH.

Sermon in memory of Judge Chisolm, his son and young daughter who were murdered by a brutal mob in Kenner county in Mississippi two years ago, were held in Washington last Sunday in the Metropolitan church. At these memorial ceremonies Bishop Gilbert Haven of Georgia delivered a short address. On looking over the address we confess that we see nothing in it which was inappropriate to the occasion and in several parts it was reverent and Godly. After alluding to the fact that these three persons (Judge Chisolm and his two children) had heretofore been accorded no rights of sepulture, and showing that lawlessness in Mississippi if tolerated would begat lawlessness in all parts of the country, and insisting upon the duty of the national government to protect and defend its citizens, Bishop Hayden used the following startling language:—

Unless a stronger Government arises we shall dissolve and disappear as a nation. We sigh for the verification of the seal of Massachusetts, an uplifted arm holding a sword which alone gives placid quiet under liberty. We have taken the first step in verifying our right to exist as a nation on gigantic fields of strife by bloody and costly valor. We must carry forward and complete this work in the national protection of every citizen in every right. We must defend freedom of speech and freedom of ballot, or we perish from the earth. To this coming perfection of national peace and power this sad event will contribute. This family group are martyrs to American equality of right, to the Declaration of Independence, and to the preamble of the Constitution. It was for the protection of every citizen at the polls for true Democracy; the government of the majority of the voters, legally and fearlessly expressed; for the American nation; for the right of mankind that this citizen of America, with his brave son and brave daughter, laid down their lives.

At the close of his remarks addressing the widow of Judge Chisolm, who was present, the Bishop uttered the following purely Christian sentiments:—

Hope, then, sad hearts! "hope and endure, and he patient." Pray for those who have despoiled your house of its home, its head, its heart. Pray for them by name, pray for them with all the heart. So will you be still one household, for thus prays your family in heaven. In Christ they lived, for Christ they died, with Christ they dwell. Live ye in Christ in petition for the forgiveness of your enemies, so that if spared the martyr's fate, you may still rejoice in the martyr's crown, for then you shall win like honor from God, with those of your own flesh and blood that have gone up, yes, blessed be the Lord, gone up, up, up, up, human love and reverence, in earthly hell, into heavenly heights through great tribulation, and have washed their robes of blood, and made them white in the blinding blood of the Lamb; who died for them as they died for Him, and will make them to reign with Him in peace and bliss forever and forever.

Here was certainly a most touching invocation to peace, charity and forgiveness. And yet this occasion is taken by a portion of the southern press to pour obloquy upon the sad occasion itself, and to assail the Bishop in rabid blackguardism. We think the Boston Commercial Club, fresh from banqueting a coterie of southern statesmen, ought to call a few of these extracts, and hang them on the walls of their Club Room as ornamental evidence of conciliation.

FACTS AND COMMENTS.

Mrs. Hayes and a little daughter are visiting Vice-President Wheeler at his home in Malone, N. Y., and will make a trip to the Adirondacks.

Miss Bennett, the sister of Mr. James G. Bennett, who has a hunting establishment at Melton, is engaged to an Irish peer. Miss Bennett has played the hostess at her brother's house with notable hospitality and grace. The Irish peer in question is an Orangeman and it is said that Miss Bennett is a Catholic.

The New Orleans *Times* assures the Democrats that they cannot expect to remain in power by clinging obstinately to the narrow and colorless and undefined policy of the past two years. "The impetus of the reaction has carried them forward thus far," it says, "but their record is too barren in popular measures and their theories are too unsympathetic with the great problems involved by our national development to justify the hope that they can retain control of the people's support without some enlargement and liberalization of their platform.

Of the twelve regular appropriation bills before Congress only three have been disposed of. The Indian bill, the Pensions, Postoffice, Rivers and Harbors, Military Academy, and Legislative, Executive and Judicial bills. There are three other important appropriation bills yet to be prepared; and there is sure to be a long struggle in the House over the River and Harbor Appropriations when the bill comes back with the Senate amendments. And yet the Democratic House are squandering their time in speeches for home consumption and claptrap schemes out of which to make capital for the fall campaign.

ANOTHER "C" LETTER.

We copy the following editorial from the Raleigh *Register* concerning the idiot "C."

"Another effusion from the versatile and saucious correspondent of the *Greensboro North State*, who signs himself "C," may be found elsewhere in this paper. It has been evident since the publication of the first letter, that the writer is an adjunct of a Democratic combination. "C" doubtless contracted for certain work intended to bulk up the combination referred to, and to destroy Messrs. Merrimon, Fowle and Schenck.

The public, almost without regard to party, has enjoyed the political annihilation of His Honor, David Schenck, at the hands the Junius-like "C," Mr. Randolph Showell, and the gentleman from Cabarrus, who glories in the Apostolic name. This was perfectly legitimate, but the over-reaching and self-appointed attacks on the editor who was not a candidate for any position to be filled before 1880, and the persistent assault in the same direction, is beyond measure. It is surprising that the conspirators should have selected such a chivalrous ("gentlemen" as their nefarious and underworld work!"

tack on Judge Fowle, we should have remained silent and given to the public the "C" letters each week as they appeared; but the flings at us in the last letter, which are conclusive evidence that "C" obtained the most of his education and breeding at Five Points together with the attempt to injure Judge Fowle by making the false impression that the editor of the *Register* and that gentleman had formed an alliance to take Judge Fowle the union candidate for Governor in 1880, made the ventilation of "C," the exposure of the party behind the throne, and the object of the "C" letters, an imperative necessity.

We shall not refer to this subject again unless we are compelled to do so by "C" who hides himself behind his *non de plume* and permits a gentleman who is said not to be the author of the "C" letters, to be assaulted upon the highway, and then continues his attack and hides himself behind his anonymous signature. It is surprising that the conspirators should have selected such a chivalrous ("gentlemen" as their nefarious and underworld work!"

ALL SORTS.

The Staunton *Valley Virginian*, Democratic, frankly expresses the opinion that recent events demonstrate that the peace of the country can better be secured through a Republican than a Democratic administration.

A farmer of Stark county, Ohio, reports some interesting experiments with sowed fodder corn. He believes that one acre of fodder corn will produce as much and as good cattle food as three to four acres of hay.

"Don't be alarmed," said a burglar, as he touched the trigger of his pistol, aimed at the heart of his victim. "Don't be alarmed," says the Democratic party to the people, as it inaugurates its scheme of revolution. "Only a little bit of Mexican pleasantry, you know."

The investigation means an attempt to unseat Hayes and put in Tilden. That is the long and short of the whole affair and the country may well realize it, and give expression to the sentiments with an understanding of the object.

Photographs can be taken without the aid of the sun. A short time ago a photographer obtained pictures of persons in a tomb underground, by means of the oxyhydrogen light, generally known as the lime light, in combination with magnesium ribbon in combustion.

Before beginning the second psalm for the day, a Glasgow clergyman reached down into his pockets and took a pinch of snuff. Even yet he cannot understand what there was in the first verse of the psalm to make the congregation laugh when he read, "my soul cleaveth to the dust."

A poor old woman who had worked and toiled for nearly three score years, said, if she didn't think she'd have rest in the next world, she'd tie a millstone around her neck and jump into the river, and go to the bottom and stay there as long as she lived.

If the state of Texas could be cleared of its outlaws who have disgraced its many thousands of thrifty citizens, and given it even a worse reputation than it deserves, it would rapidly loom up one of the foremost states of the Union. Its soil and climate are certainly unsurpassed.

The gentlemen who argue that the Democracy cannot be united in the advocacy of any measure dangerous to the country will notice that after all the talk about Democratic opposition to the Potter resolution, the Democrats when it came to the test voted together. They always do. The few safe men in the party will always be controlled by the dangerous ones. The only way to keep them out of mischief is to keep them out of power.

While Gen. J. C. Davis was in the city of Mexico recently, he bought a diamond scarf-pin that once belonged to the Emperor Maximilian. It was given by the Emperor of Austria to Maximilian, and, when his death sentence was pronounced, the latter gave it to a faithful Mexican adherent, who has found it necessary to dispose of it. It is described as a very beautiful ornament, set with eighty-five diamonds, and bearing Maximilian's monogram.

Letter No. V. had all the appearance of being well written by a sort of editor by a professional in an anonymous empire, who had not been able to put his hand in the public crib as often as he desired. It was a tirade against the Republican party, written in performance of the contract to build up the political stock of the aforesaid combination, and published and sent by Express to Raleigh for the purpose of influencing the action of the Republican State Committee. "C" no doubt contracted to have the Republican party disbanded, but was unable to deliver the goods, although he was powerfully aided by gentlemen who denounce Mr. Hayes as a fraud and an imposition upon the people, and yet hold office under the Federal Government. Disinterested patriots! secure in their position until the 4th of March, 1881, of course they are for disbanding the Republican party! what good will they derive by organizing and perpetuating the party? It is time enough for these gentlemen to claim of themselves that they have been disengaged from their office in 1880. There, nothing should be done in 1878, 110,000 Republicans should be allowed to stray where they please, and thus gratify Federal tax-gatherers and aid "C" in delivering the Republican party into the hands of the Philistines!

The Republican State Committee did not act upon the advice of "C," and are not likely to do so as long as "C" is in the pay of his present masters. It was thought by many when the first letter appeared that the writer was exercising his mental faculties with no particular object in view than to stir up strife in the ranks of the Democracy, and then add fuel to the flames. Not so, however.

The principal factors of one wing of the Democratic party now engaged in a bitter contest throughout the state for Senator, Chief Justice and Governor, have only been the recipients of a passing notice from the caustic pen of "C," while the other wing seems to avoid the fighting qualities of "C," in like manner as a red bandana is avoided from a snake and an iron chain from the Spanish Bull. This course, however, is not a legitimate cause of complaint for us, and would not have been allowed to bat for the unwarranted and unjustifiable construction placed upon our defense of Judge Fowle. "C" has proceeded so far in his anonymous course that his wings should be clipped and thus keep him in due bounds. It is time that a large portion of the Democratic party were made acquainted with the fact that leaders of that party formed a conspiracy with "C" with a view to break down other leaders and aspirants in that party; and that a Republican who had carried his principles on his coat sleeves and who regarded them in the same light as an old pair of shoes, to be slipped off and then on again, as might suit the occasion and the object to be attained, had been selected to write up certain Democratic leaders, to destroy certain other Democratic leaders, and at the same time cause the Republican party to disband, that the designs of the conspirators were fully carried out. Having expressed our condemnation of the at-

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HOUSES AND LOTS

FOR SALE CHEAP.

HOUSE AND LOT ON CORNER OF WALNUT AND WALNUT streets, known as the Finlayson house.

House and Lot on corner of Walnut and Seventh streets, known as the Denton house.

House and L. on east side of Third street near Hanover.

House and Lot on Third street next adjoining the above.

A very fine building Lot on Brunswick 3rd street, size 10' x 100' feet.

House and Lot on north side of Castle near 7th street.

House and Lot next to and adjoining the above.

Lot corner of 2d and Mulberry streets—one of the finest in the city.

Lot on Front street near Wooster.

House and Lot on alley near Dickenson between Rankin and Miller streets.

House and Lot on 4th street between Queen and Wooster streets.

The above property will be sold cheap for \$100,000, or very near that. No time to put off a bargain for below what the cost would be. The demand for property is on the increase. There has been at least forty percent increase in the last year. Buy a residence while you can at a reasonable price. Don't wait for the time when

THE WILMINGTON POST.

WILMINGTON, N. C.,
FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 26, 1878.

THE REPUBLICAN CONGRESS
SIGNAL COMMITTEES'
ADDRESS.

APPEAL OF THE REPUBLICANS
TO THE VOTERS OF THE UNITED
STATES—DREADFUL CON-
SEQUENCES TO FOLLOW THE
PASSAGE OF THE PAPER RE-
SOLUTION.

WASHINGTON, May 17, 1878.

The Republican Congressional Com-
mittee has issued the following ad-
dress:

To the Voters of the United States:
The Democratic House of Repre-
sentatives has to-day by a party vote
adopted a resolution which, under the
presence of an investigation, is to lay
the foundation for a revolutionary ex-
pulsion of the President from office.

This is the culmination of a plot which
has been on foot from the day that
Hayes and Wheeler were constitution-
ally declared elected. It made its first
appearance in the resolution of the last
Democratic House, adopted at the close
of the session, declaring that Tilden
and Hendricks were elected. Tilden
and Hendricks subsequently made sim-
ilar public declarations themselves. A
few timid members have long held
back and some of them, after being co-
erced to the final vote, still pretend that
they will bolt as soon as their partial
and one-sided investigation shall be end-
ed. In other words they intended, after
hearing suborned evidence, to bring in
a verdict that Hayes is a usurper, and
that he shall not remain in office. These men are full control in the Demo-
cratic party. They dared not even follow
Alexander H. Stephens—a unit
against caucus dictations—to the extent
of showing some semblance of fair
play. They will be impotent in the future as they have been in the past.
Moreover, it is difficult to believe in
their sincerity, in view of the public
grovelling of their party, that its purpose
is, if possible, to displace the Presi-
dent.

It is a matter of history that the resolu-
tion just adopted was framed to ex-
press this object. The Speaker of the
House was consulted in advance as to
whether he would rule that it was a
privileged question. The party managers
were anxious to conceal their pur-
poses, if possible. In this they were
defeated by the Speaker, who would not
rule it a question of privilege unless it
clearly assailed the title of the Presi-
dent. The resolution being offered he
read a carefully prepared opinion decid-
ing it to be a question of the highest
privilege because it involved the ques-
tion of the validity of Hayes' title.
Here are his words:—

"A higher privilege than the one here
involved, and broadly and directly pre-
sented as to the rightful occupancy of the
Chief Executive chair of the govern-
ment and the continuation of high
government officials with the funds
legaled, the chair is indeed too delicate to
conceive. The claims enunciated among the
questions of privilege set down in the
Manual, the following:—'Election of
President.' The chair, therefore rules that
the preamble and resolution en-
brace questions of privilege of the
highest character, and recognizes the right
of the gentlemen from New York
to sit for the same."

Upon this the Republicans com-
menced a sledge against the revolutionary
scheme, which, after five days' duration,
terminated in the success of the con-
spirators. The Republicans offered to
favor the fullest investigation into all
alleged frauds, by whichever party
charged to have been committed, but
the Democracy pursued its course
shamelessly and relentlessly, and stilled
all inquiry at attempt to bribe y in
Oregon, South Carolina and Louisiana,
and violence in several of the States.
Neither amendment nor debate was al-
lowed. The inexorable previous question
was applied and enforced. This
scheme if pursued—and it is now fully
inaugurated—can only have the effect
of further paralyzing business of all
kinds, preventing the restoration of
confidence, which seemed promising,
casting a gloom over every household,
and bringing out the nation in a swoon
before the civilized world. The peace
of the country is the first consideration
of patriots. This new effort of the Dem-
ocracy to inaugurate anarchy and
Mexicanize the government by throw-
ing doubts upon the legitimacy of the
title of the President is in keeping with
the record of that party, one wing of
which rebelled against the government
while the other wing gave them aid and
comfort.

We call, therefore, upon all who op-
posed the rebellion of 1861, without
distinction of party, to rally again to
the support of law and order and stable
government, and to overwhelm with
defeat the reckless agitators who, to gain
political power, would add to the pres-
tress of the country, by shaking
the foundations of the government, they
failed in a four year's war to destroy.

By unanimous order of the commit-
tee,

EUGENE HALE,
Chairman.

GEO. C. GORHAM,
Secretary.

Senators and members wait and man-
age several days in order to have
their speech begin on the first page of
the Congressional Record. Senator Gor-
don, of Georgia, waited four days be-
fore publishing his last speech, which
he read to the benches, and then it ap-
peared on the coveted first page. You
see you may send copies of the Record
to your constituents, and if your speech
is on the first page they will think that
you are a big statesman.—New York
Herald.

On the 19th of June next, the evacua-
tion of Washington's camp at Valley
Forge on the Schuylkill is to be cele-
brated with a good deal of display.

Henry Armitt Brown of Philadelphia
is to deliver the oration. An associa-
tion has been formed to buy Wash-
ington's old head quarters and the sur-
rounding grounds on which were the
ear fortifications.

MISCELLANEOUS.

ORGANS.

A LARGE LOT OF FINE
REED AND PIPE TOP
ORGANS JUST RECEIVED
MASON & HAMLIN ORGANS,
NEW ENGLAND ORGANS,
BURDETT ORGANS, AND
JUBILEE ORGANS.
For sale at
HEINSBERGER'S
Live Book and Music Store.

May 10—11.

THE PURCELL HOUSE

HAS PASSED INTO THE HANDS OF
the undersigned, has been newly fur-
nished throughout, and, as heretofore, will
stand strictly as

First-Class Hotel!

Board reduced as follows: \$2 50 and \$3 per
day; With Rooms, per month, \$35; Table
Board, per month, \$25.

Best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars

ALWAYS ON HAND AT

Regular City Prices.

We hope to see all the old patrons of the
house and ALL THEIR FRIENDS, promis-
ing them that no pains shall be spared to
please all.

John Werner H. C. Prempert,
Formerly of Richmond. Formerly of Golds-
boro, N. C.

WERNER & PREMPERT.

Personally in attendance at

HAIR DRESSING SALOON,

No. 11 North Front Street, South of
Purcell House and No. 7 South
Front Street,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

None but the most experienced work-
men employed in this establishment.

42nd Manufacturers of Tonics, Hair
Oil, Cologne, Renovators, Dyes, Beau-
tifiers, &c., &c.

August 12—13.

OLD,

TRIED,

AND

TRUE.

People are getting acquainted—and those who
are not ought to be—with the wonderful merits of
that great American Remedy, the

MEXICAN

Mustang Liniment,

FOR MAN AND BEAST.

This liniment very naturally originated in Amer-
ica, where Nature provided in her laboratory such
surprising antidotes for the maladies of her chil-
dren. Its fame has been spreading for 35 years,
until now it encircles the habitable globe.

The Mexican Mustang Liniment is a
miracle of strength, purity and beauty.

To stock owners and farmers it is invaluable.

It will be applied to the bones, horse, ox,
cow, or sheep.

For hock, hoof, tail, hock, horn, grub,
sew-worm, shoulder rot, mange, the bites and
stings of poisonous reptiles and insects, and every
such drawback to stock breeding and beef life.

It cures every external trouble of horses, such
as wind-gall, ring-bone, etc., etc.

The Mexican Mustang Liniment is the quickest

cure in the world for accidents occurring in the

family, the absence of a physician, such as
burns, scalds, sprains, cuts, etc., and for rheuma-
tism, which is cured by exposure.

Particularly valuable to Miners.

It is the cheapest remedy in the world, for it
penetrates the muscle to the bone, and a single
application is generally sufficient to cure.

Mexican Mustang Liniment is put up in three
sizes of bottles, the larger ones being proportion-
ately much the cheapest. Sold everywhere.

February 11 R

\$200,000
WORTH OF

Gold Plated Jewelry.

FOR ONE DOLLAR WE WILL SEND
you as below, an WARRANTED GOLD PLATED
JEWELRY. One Pair Earrings, 1 pair Earrings
with Siver Buttons; 1 pair Pointed 1 pair
Amethyst Studs; Wedding Rings, 1 pair
Engraved Hand Finger Ring, 1 pair
Friendship, 1 Handmade Scarf Pin;
specimens of Hair Pin, 1 pair Jet
and Diamond Lockets, Diamond Stud; 1 Car-
pet Bag; Head Necklaces, 1 pair Ladies'
Pearl Ear Drops; 1 Large Unique
Pearl Ring and Elegent
Watch Chain. Take your choice, the entire
lot of 20 pieces sent post paid for \$1 or \$2
plus postage. Any one sending us a club of twelve
at one dollar, we will send a COIN SILVER
WATCH FREE.

F. STOCKMAN,
Feb 8-13-mos. 27 Bond St., New York.

NEW BAKERY.

I HAVE OPENED A FIRST CLASS BA-
KERY, at Thorburn's Old Stand, on Front
Street, between Market and Chestnut Streets,
FRESH BREAD, CAKES, and CONFEC-
TIONERY. Weddings and Parties supplied
at short notice.

EVERYTHING IN MY LINE PREPARED IN THE
BEST STYLE.

A TRIAL IS SOLICITED.

In KOSTKA,
Front Street.

Next to Adron & Voller.

dec 21 1877

ONE DOLLAR WE WILL SEND

an WARRANTED GOLD PLATED
JEWELRY. One Pair Earrings, 1 pair Earrings
with Siver Buttons; 1 pair Pointed 1 pair
Amethyst Studs; Wedding Rings, 1 pair
Engraved Hand Finger Ring, 1 pair
Friendship, 1 Handmade Scarf Pin;

specimens of Hair Pin, 1 pair Jet
and Diamond Lockets, Diamond Stud; 1 Car-
pet Bag; Head Necklaces, 1 pair Ladies'

Pearl Ear Drops; 1 Large Unique
Pearl Ring and Elegent
Watch Chain. Take your choice, the entire
lot of 20 pieces sent post paid for \$1 or \$2
plus postage. Any one sending us a club of twelve
at one dollar, we will send a COIN SILVER
WATCH FREE.

F. STOCKMAN,
Feb 8-13-mos. 27 Bond St., New York.

SPIRIT OF THE SOUTH.

A INDEPENDENT FAMILY NEWSPA-
PER, devoted to news, politics, litera-
ture, &c. PUBLISHED WEEKLY AT ROCKING-
HAM, N. C.

ONE DOLLAR WE WILL SEND

an WARRANTED GOLD PLATED
JEWELRY. One Pair Earrings, 1 pair Earrings
with Siver Buttons; 1 pair Pointed 1 pair
Amethyst Studs; Wedding Rings, 1 pair
Engraved Hand Finger Ring, 1 pair
Friendship, 1 Handmade Scarf Pin;

specimens of Hair Pin, 1 pair Jet
and Diamond Lockets, Diamond Stud; 1 Car-
pet Bag; Head Necklaces, 1 pair Ladies'

Pearl Ear Drops; 1 Large Unique
Pearl Ring and Elegent
Watch Chain. Take your choice, the entire
lot of 20 pieces sent post paid for \$1 or \$2
plus postage. Any one sending us a club of twelve
at one dollar, we will send a COIN SILVER
WATCH FREE.

F. STOCKMAN,
Feb 8-13-mos. 27 Bond St., New York.

NEW BAKERY.

I HAVE OPENED A FIRST CLASS BA-
KERY, at Thorburn's Old Stand, on Front
Street, between Market and Chestnut Streets,
FRESH BREAD, CAKES, and CONFEC-
TIONERY. Weddings and Parties supplied
at short notice.

EVERYTHING IN MY LINE PREPARED IN THE
BEST STYLE.

A TRIAL IS SOLICITED.

In KOSTKA,
Front Street.

Next to Adron & Voller.

dec 21 1877

ONE DOLLAR WE WILL SEND

an WARRANTED GOLD PLATED
JEWELRY. One Pair Earrings, 1 pair Earrings
with Siver Buttons; 1 pair Pointed 1 pair
Amethyst Studs; Wedding Rings, 1 pair
Engraved Hand Finger Ring, 1 pair
Friendship, 1 Handmade Scarf Pin;

specimens of Hair Pin, 1 pair Jet
and Diamond Lockets, Diamond Stud; 1 Car-
pet Bag; Head Necklaces, 1 pair Ladies'

Pearl Ear Drops; 1 Large Unique
Pearl Ring and Elegent
Watch Chain. Take your choice, the entire
lot of 20 pieces sent post paid for \$1 or \$2
plus postage. Any one sending us a club of twelve
at one dollar, we will send a COIN SILVER
WATCH FREE.

F. STOCKMAN,
Feb 8-13-mos. 27 Bond St., New York.

SPIRIT OF THE SOUTH.

A INDEPENDENT FAMILY NEWSPA-
PER, devoted to news, politics, litera-
ture, &c. PUBLISHED WEEKLY AT ROCKING-
HAM, N. C.

ONE DOLLAR WE WILL SEND

an WARRANTED GOLD PLATED
JEWELRY. One Pair Earrings, 1 pair Earrings
with Siver Buttons; 1 pair Pointed 1 pair
Amethyst Studs; Wedding Rings, 1 pair
Engraved Hand Finger Ring, 1 pair
Friendship, 1 Handmade Scarf Pin;

specimens of Hair Pin, 1 pair Jet
and Diamond Lockets, Diamond Stud; 1 Car-
pet Bag; Head Necklaces, 1 pair Ladies'

Pearl Ear Drops; 1 Large Unique
Pearl Ring and Elegent
Watch Chain. Take your choice, the entire
lot of 20 pieces sent post paid for \$1 or \$2
plus postage. Any one sending us a club of twelve
at one dollar, we will send a COIN SILVER
WATCH FREE.

F. STOCKMAN,
Feb 8-13-mos. 27 Bond St., New York.

SPIRIT OF THE SOUTH.

A INDEPENDENT FAMILY NEWSPA-
PER, devoted to news, politics, litera-
ture, &c. PUBLISHED WEEKLY AT ROCKING-
HAM, N. C.

ONE DOLLAR WE WILL SEND

an WARRANTED GOLD PLATED
JEWELRY. One Pair Earrings, 1 pair Earrings
with Siver Buttons; 1 pair Pointed 1 pair
Amethyst Studs; Wedding Rings, 1 pair
Engraved Hand Finger Ring, 1 pair
Friendship, 1 Handmade Scarf Pin;

specimens of Hair Pin, 1 pair Jet
and Diamond Lockets, Diamond Stud; 1 Car-
pet Bag; Head Necklaces, 1 pair Ladies'

Pearl Ear Drops; 1 Large Unique
Pearl Ring and Elegent
Watch Chain. Take your choice, the entire
lot of 20 pieces sent post paid for \$1 or \$2
plus postage. Any one sending us a club of twelve
at one dollar, we will send a COIN SILVER
WATCH FREE.

F. STOCKMAN,
Feb 8-13-mos. 27 Bond St., New York.

THE WILMINGTON POST,
WILMINGTON, N. C.,
FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 26, 1878.

The Republican papers in North Carolina, and the places they are published at, are as follows:—
Raleigh; Carolinian, Elizabeth City; Spirit of the South, Rockingham; American Statesman; New State, Greensboro; Pioneer, Asheville; Republican, Winston Post, Wilmington.

PARIS, LAMAR Co., Tex., Dec. 18, 1878.
Dr. Harter, Dear Sir:

I had the Chills and Fever, nothing did me any good; I took quinine until I was nearly deadened; as a last resort, I purchased a bottle of Dr. Harter's Fever and Ague Specific for seventy-five cents; I used only half of the bottle, and it completely cured me.

J. S. RANT.

IN MEMORIAM.—The Board of Underwriters of this city, as well as the Whiting Rifles and the Wilmington Light Infantry have put on record touching resolutions in memory of Capt. T. C. DeRosset whose sudden death brought so great sadness to the community. Each one of the organizations have inscribed a blank page on their records to his memory.

The way in which children jumble up the English language sometimes is quite laughable. A little one of our acquaintance was impatiently watching the clock and wishing it was time for the train to bring his father. Once he said "It was half past the clock and he knew it was time." Then he asked if it was "time for father to come on that clock?" Then being laughed at, he made a desperate effort to render himself intelligible and said, "well the clock is ready for father to come."

The Supreme Court of the state of New York has decided that J. C. Ayer & Co., of Lowell, have the sole right to use the words Cherry Pectoral for a medicine, and has issued an injunction against F. V. Rushton, of New York City, for selling Rushton's Cherry Pectoral or Cherry Pectoral Lozenges, or any other use of the name to deceive the public. This decision of the high court includes all dealers who sell any similar article.—*Part Jefferson (L. J.) Leader.*

MILITIA.—The Fifth Battalion, N. C. S. G. under command of Lt.-Col. G. L. Mahson, parades for inspection and review on Thursday next. The companies are—Hanover Light Infantry, Capt. A. B. Lind;—Cape Fear Light Infantry, Capt. S. W. Nash; C.—Howard Light Infantry, (Fayetteville,) Capt. Lewis Smith; D—Fayetteville Independent Rds Guards, Capt. John W. Cunningham, and E—Charlotte Blues, Capt. J. J. Cooper. After the inspection the battalion will march to the National cemetery to take part in the ceremonies in honor of the nation's dead.

An Astonishing Fact.

A large proportion of the American people are to day suffering from the effects of Dyspepsia or disordered liver. The result of these diseases upon the masses of intelligent and valuable people is most alarming, making life actually a burden instead of a pleasant existence of enjoyment and usefulness as it ought to be. There is no good reason for this, if you will only throw aside prejudice and skepticism, take the advice of Druggists and your friends, and try one bottle of Green's August Flowers. Your speedy relief is certain. Millions of bottles of this medicine have been given away to try just one bottle. Regular size 75 cents. Sold by all Druggists on the Western continent.

THE MATCHMAKER.—A Society No. 1, by Beatrice Reynolds, is published by T. B. Peterson & Brothers, Philadelphia, and makes the Eighteenth volume issued of "Peterson's" Dollar Series of New and Good Books,³ which are the largest, the best, the handsomest, as well as the cheapest series of books ever published and sold at one dollar each, for they are as large and as handsome as any books issued at \$1.75 and \$2.00 each. We can recall no writer who uniformly holds such high ground who treats with such searching power so many and so varied subjects; who penetrates with such insight, coincides with such startling clearness, and applies with such courage and fidelity the truths she finds as "Beatrice Reynolds" has done in this charming volume of "The Matchmaker." She opens it in a rich vein of inland life, while her pictures with which all her story is blended, have all the freshness and vitality of truth. All persons can now possess a handsome library of fiction at a very small cost. "The Matchmaker," as well as all other volumes in the series, are each published in one large duodecimo volume, elegantly and substantially bound in vellum, and embossed in gold and black, price one dollar each, and will be found for sale by all booksellers and all railroad trains, or copies of any one or all of them, will be sent to any one, to any place, post-paid, on remitting one dollar, for each one wanted, in a letter, to T. B. Peterson & Brothers, Philadelphia, Pa. For sale at P. Heinsberger's Live Book and Music Store, Wilmington, N. C.

STATE ITEMS.

Gov. Colquitt, of Georgia, will deliver the address, commencement day, at Trinity College, and Bishop Pierce will deliver the sermon.

The editor of the Pee Dee Herald has been travelling a good deal, and he says that all the Pee Dee country is for Gov. Vance for U. S. Senator, and for Ashe for Judge.

The editor of the Ashboro Star is about the happiest fellow out. He declares that when Randolph gets a railroad "the still solitude will be broken by the whistle of the cars and vine-clad cottages will smile where brambles grow and wild woods wave." He says further that he declares his independence, will go to the polls and vote for whom he is a mind to.

The Pee Dee Herald says:—We have in our office a bunch of oats, raised by Mr. Robert Lampey, numbering over two hundred stalks and heads that sprang from one eat seed. The highest stalks in the bunch lack only an inch or so of being six feet high; and when taken from the soil they were not ripened. If the oats had been left as they would have grown to full maturity, they would have measured seven feet.

The Hendersonville Courier says Mr. Thomas Wood, manager of Mr. C. P. Lowndes' fine plantation, Valley House, in Transylvania county, has now in Charleston a lot of fine cattle bred in Western North Carolina. These cattle have been fattened entirely on feed and turnips, and deprived of water during feeding. They are said to be fully equal to any cattle ever shipped to the Charleston market, and will command handsome prices.

The Spirit of the South says it is a noticeable fact, and shamefully so, that farmers make cotton a specialty and a fault particularly in this section, because other produce necessary for the sustenance of the farm is neglected thereby. For instance, our corn lands, with the proper cultivation, are equal in production to most any in the state. Yet it is an appalling fact that fully three-fourths of the corn used by us for the past eight years has been imported from other states. We are glad to proclaim, however, that where, for a number of years we saw one bushel of grain planted, we find ten this year.

A Remarkable Result.—It makes no difference how many physicians, or how much medicine you have tried it is now an established fact that German Syrup is the only remedy which has given complete satisfaction in severe cases of Lung Diseases. It is true there are yet thousands of persons who are predisposed to Throat and Lung Affections, Consumption, Hemorrhages, Asthma, Severe Colds, Coughs, &c., who have no personal knowledge of Boehse's German Syrup. To such we would say that 50,000 dozen were sold last year without one complaint. Consumers try just one bottle. Regular size 75 cents. Sold by all Druggists.

Our personal appearance is a matter in which our friends and acquaintances have a right to a choice whether we shall inflict upon them an exterior unattractive, a countenance marred by a neglected grizzled beard, or a crown guiltless of covering, half covered or thatched with white hairs, or whether we shall in deference to our fellows, pay due regard to our own persons, and make them presentable and acceptable in society. There are many helps for those who desire to do this, and there are none among them more acceptable than Hall's Hair Re-newer and Buckingham's Dye for the whiskers. Both these preparations are kept for sale at all our drug stores, and if any of our friends are looking a little the worse for wear we advise them to make a note of it.—*North Star, Danville, Va.*

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was firm at 27 cents per gallon for country packages. Also sales of 75 casks at that price. We hear of no sales.

TAR.—Market steady and unchanged the receipts of the day being disposed of at \$1.35 per bbl.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market was steady and unchanged, the receipts of the day being placed at \$1.00 for Hard and \$1.75 for Yellow Dip and Virgin, with the usual deduction of one-fifth on the latter, and \$2.00 for new Virgin.

COTTON.—The market opened firm with no sales. The following were the official quotations:

Ordinary, 7½ cts. lb
Good Ordinary, 8½ " " "
Low Middling, 9½ " " "
Middling, 10 " " "
Good Middling, " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 155 bales

Spirits Turpentine, 555 casks

Rosin, 1,514 bbls

Tar, 112 bbls

Crude Turpentine, 619 bbls

May 22.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was steady at 27 cents per gallon for country packages, with sales of 114 casks at that price.

ROSIN.—The market was firm at \$1.75 for Strained and \$1.20 for Good Strained without any reported sales.

TAR.—Market for this article is somewhat unsettled, with sales reported at \$1.35 per bbl.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market steady and unchanged, the receipts of the day being placed at \$1.00 for Hard and \$1.75 for Yellow Dip and Virgin, with the usual deduction of one-fifth on the latter, and \$2.00 for new Virgin.

COTTON.—The market opened firm and nominally unchanged, the sales of the day amounted to 18 bales, at the following quotations:

Ordinary, 7½ cts. lb
Good Ordinary, 8½ " " "
Low Middling, 9½ " " "
Middling, 10 " " "
Good Middling, " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 234 bales,

Spirits Turpentine, 446 casks,

Rosin, 1,238 bbls,

Tar, 288 " "

Crude Turpentine, 608 "

May 23.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was steady at 27 cents per gallon for country packages with sales of 225 casks at that price, and 60 do city distilled at 27 cents per gallon.

ROSEN.—The market was firm at \$1.75 for Strained and \$1.40 for Good Strained. We hear of no sales.

TAR.—Market steady and unchanged the receipts of the day being disposed of at \$1.35 per bbl.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market was steady and unchanged, the receipts of the day being placed at \$1.00 for Hard and \$1.75 for Yellow Dip and Virgin, with the usual deduction of one-fifth on the latter, and \$2.00 for new Virgin.

COTTON.—The market opened firm with no sales. The following were the official quotations:

Ordinary, 7½ cts. lb
Good Ordinary, 8½ " " "
Low Middling, 9½ " " "
Middling, 10 " " "
Good Middling, " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 234 bales,

Spirits Turpentine, 127 casks

Rosin, 612 bbls

Tar, 195 bbls

Crude Turpentine, 312 bbls

May 24.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was firm at 27 cents per gallon for country packages. Also sales of 75 casks at that price.

ROSIN.—The market was firm at \$1.75 for Strained and \$1.20 for Good Strained. We hear of no sales reported.

TAR.—Market firm and unchanged, the receipts of the day being disposed of at \$1.35 per bbl.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market was steady and unchanged, the receipts of the day being placed at \$1.00 for Hard and \$1.75 for Yellow Dip and Virgin, with the usual deduction of one-fifth on the latter, and \$2.00 for new Virgin.

COTTON.—The market was firm and nominally unchanged, the sales of the day amounted to 18 bales, at the following quotations:

Ordinary, 7½ cts. lb
Good Ordinary, 8½ " " "
Low Middling, 9½ " " "
Middling, 10 " " "
Good Middling, " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 49 bales,

Spirits Turpentine, 152 casks

Rosin, 727 bbls

Tar, 99 bbls

Crude Turpentine, 306 bbls

May 25.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was firm at 28 cents per gallon for country packages, at which price 75 casks changed hands.

ROSIN.—The market was firm at \$1.30 for Strained and \$1.32 for Good Strained.

TAR.—Market steady and unchanged, with sales reported at \$1.35 per bbl.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market opened steady the receipts of the day, selling at the following figures; \$1.00 for Hard and \$1.75 for Yellow Dip and Virgin, with the usual deduction of one-fifth on the latter, and \$2.00 for new Virgin.

COTTON.—The market for this article opened quiet at the following official quotations:

Ordinary, 7½ cts. lb
Good Ordinary, 8½ " " "
Low Middling, 9½ " " "
Middling, 10 " " "
Good Middling, " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 55 bales,

Spirits Turpentine, 127 casks

Rosin, 612 bbls

Tar, 195 bbls

Crude Turpentine, 312 bbls

May 26.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was firm at 28 cents per gallon for country packages, at which price 75 casks changed hands.

ROSIN.—The market was firm at \$1.30 for Strained and \$1.32 for Good Strained.

TAR.—Market steady and unchanged, with sales reported at \$1.35 per bbl.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market opened steady the receipts of the day, selling at the following figures; \$1.00 for Hard and \$1.75 for Yellow Dip and Virgin, with the usual deduction of one-fifth on the latter, and \$2.00 for new Virgin.

COTTON.—The market for this article opened quiet at the following official quotations:

Ordinary, 7½ cts. lb
Good Ordinary, 8½ " " "
Low Middling, 9½ " " "
Middling, 10 " " "
Good Middling, " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 55 bales,

Spirits Turpentine, 127 casks

Rosin, 612 bbls

Tar, 195 bbls

Crude Turpentine, 312 bbls

May 27.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was firm at 28 cents per gallon for country packages, at which price 75 casks changed hands.

ROSIN.—The market was firm at \$1.30 for Strained and \$1.32 for Good Strained.

TAR.—Market steady and unchanged, with sales reported at \$1.35 per bbl.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market opened steady the receipts of the day, selling at the following figures; \$1.00 for Hard and \$1.75 for Yellow Dip and Virgin, with the usual deduction of one-fifth on the latter, and \$2.00 for new Virgin.

COTTON.—The market for this article opened quiet at the following official quotations:

Ordinary, 7½ cts. lb
Good Ordinary, 8½ " " "
Low Middling, 9½ " " "
Middling, 10 " " "
Good Middling, " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 55 bales,

Spirits Turpentine, 127 casks

Rosin, 612 bbls

Tar, 195 bbls

Crude Turpentine, 312 bbls

May 28.